



NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

The Proposed Cleanup Plan For Former Caterpillar Site at 800 Davis Street Is Available For Review San Leandro, California



PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: October 13, 2005 through November 14, 2005

WHAT'S BEING PROPOSED?

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to review and comment on the Draft Remedial Action Plan Amendment (RAP Amendment) for the Former Caterpillar site located at 800 Davis Street, San Leandro, California. The Draft RAP Amendment proposes a change in the cleanup plan for chemicals detected in groundwater. The original RAP was approved by DTSC in June 1994 and is available to review at DTSC Berkeley.

DTSC prepared a Draft California Environmental Quality Act-Draft Notice of Exemption (NOE) for this project. The Draft RAP Amendment is considered exempt from California Environmental Quality Act because the project will not have significant effects on the environment or human health.

WHY THIS NOTICE?

The purpose of this notice is to provide you with the opportunity to learn more about the project and to provide comments to DTSC concerning the proposed cleanup, within thirty (30) days of this notice.

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

The 30-day public comment period begins on October 13, 2005 and ends on November 14, 2005. Your participation is encouraged. Comments concerning the Draft RAP Amendment may be submitted in writing to Ms. Jayantha Randeni, DTSC Project Manager, 700 Heinz Ave., Berkeley, CA 94710 or email: JRandeni@dtsc.ca.gov. **All comments must be postmarked or emailed by November 14, 2005.**

You may also submit your comments at the public meeting which will be held at 7:00 pm on October 25, 2005, at the San Leandro Community Library located at 300 Estudillo Avenue in San Leandro.

WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?

A copy of the Draft RAP Amendment and other related documents are available for review in the Information Repositories located at the San Leandro Community Library, Reference Desk, 300 Estudillo Avenue, San Leandro, California 94577 and DTSC, 700 Heinz Ave, Berkeley, CA 94710.

CONTACT:

If you have any questions or wish to discuss the project, please contact Ms. Jayantha Randeni, DTSC Project Manager, at (510) 540-3806 or JRandeni@dtsc.ca.gov. For public participation activities, please contact Mr. Richard A. Perry, DTSC Public Participation Specialist, at (510) 540-3910 or RPerry@dtsc.ca.gov. Members of the media should contact Ms. Angela Blanchette, DTSC Public Information Officer, at (510) 540-3732 or email Ablanche@dtsc.ca.gov.